

*Jessie's Mound
is named for this →
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JESSE HUGHES AND
AMANDA WOOD McCARRELL



Jesse Hughes McCarrell, son of Jesse McCarrell and Mary Hughes McCarrell. Born March 26, 1825, in Louisiana. Married Amanda Wood in 1848.

Amanda Wood, daughter of David and Catherine Wood of Canada.

Born September 2, 1829.

Jesse and Amanda Wood McCarrell were pioneers of Midway. They lived in the Fort. Mr. and Mrs. McCarrell owned the land at the foot of what is now called "Memorial Hill." Until recent years the mound named for Mr. McCarrell was called "Jesse's Mound."

Mr. McCarrell was a sturdy intrepid colonizer. He raised cattle said to be among the best in the valley. He and his good wife came from honorable families. They contributed much to the building of our valley. A report is remembered that Jesse McCarrell helped to finance more than one missionary who could not have gone except for the generosity of this good man.

Children:

Jesse David, married Jane Cliff
Sidney Osborn, married Susan Sulser
Mrs. Daniel (Mary Catherine) Evans
Joseph Peter married Elizabeth Sulser
Mrs. Harmon (Amanda) Knoble
Charles Oscar married Margaret Gill
Mrs. John D. (Agnes) Mecham
William Mark died in youth
Mrs. Lafayette (Eliza) Woods
George Hughes.

